



## Adonai (Psalm 57:9-10)

### Sermon Devotional

Series - The Lighthouse: Reflections on the Nature of God

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1. Do you sense that people feel uneasy about the world and their place in it?
2. Do you personally feel depressed or discouraged about the condition of your life?

#### Digging Deeper

3. Read Psalm 57:9-10 or access Pastor David's message at [broadviewchurch.com/media](http://broadviewchurch.com/media).
4. When Israel's David fled from King Saul into a cave, it appeared that all was lost. But that was the setting that David wrote Psalm 57. What was the first thing David prayed for in verse 1?
5. If David prayed when he was faced with no other option, what does this tell us we should do during times of despair?
6. According to Psalm 57:3, what does God do for us when we call upon him?
7. When David calls God "Lord" in verse 9, he uses the word "Adonai," which means "ruler, owner, or master." Why is this an appropriate term for God when we are in danger?

#### Bringing It Home

8. In what ways is God your Adonai (ruler, owner, or master)?
  9. Re-read Psalm 57, making it a prayer to the Lord.
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